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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

Deep gloom in Pittsburgh: Harry Thaw announces that he is going down there from New York.

New York can't be expected to enthrone over politics until the league baseball season is over.

They are actually seeing snakes in Montpelier, and killing them, too. The usual joke about Three-Mile bridge is herewith omitted.

Judging from the political appeals, one might suspect that the farmers and the labor unionists are the only ones who can vote in the United States.

The sincere sympathy of his newspaper brethren, as well as of a host of friends in Vermont, goes out to Lynn M. Hays of Essex Junction, who is called to mourn the death of his wife, Mrs. Frances B. (Hassett) Hays.

The railroad transportation lines are having a lively time of it carrying granite shipments out of Barre. The other evening a single outgoing train carried thirty-five cars of granite, the most of it finished work. No evidences of depression there, surely.

The action of the Burlington school authorities in voting to abolish high school fraternities was well meant and ought to be decisive; but a few young sprouts who think they are being martyred will probably endeavor to keep the spirit alive although clandestinely.

It will be an extremely gloomy legislature which convenes at Montpelier without "Happy" Hapgood of Peru. The Bennington Banner is undoubtedly right in saying that Hapgood is not able to appreciate that the other fellow is right sometimes; but it is that very qualification which makes him amusing.

FOURTH OF JULY STATISTICS.

Statistics of the last Fourth of July celebration have just been compiled by the American Medical association's Journal and they show that in spite of the agitation for a safer celebration, more people than ever went and got killed or injured. What was gained in the lesser number of deaths from lockjaw was lost in the deaths from other causes; so that the death list was kept proportionately large. While agreeing with the medical contemporary that it is "an absolutely unnecessary and wanton sacrifice to a senseless and barbaric notion of what constitutes a 'good time,'" and is an additional evidence of the cheapness of human life in the United States," one may be pardoned a question as to what can be done about it. A campaign of instruction went a long way toward reducing the number of lockjaw casualties; perhaps the same course may result equally well in all kinds of causes. People got actually scared over the use of the toy pistol, and a like regard for their own safety may be engendered which will lessen the use of other very dangerous implements of "celebrating."

LODGING THE LEGISLATORS.

An ingenious suggestion is presented by the Waterbury Record to members of the legislature who may fail to find satisfactory lodging accommodations in Montpelier; it is, to go to Waterbury for just the kind of accommodations they wish for. The proposal is not at all impracticable in spite of the seeming difficulties, and it would not be surprising if some members of the legislature should take up with the idea. Waterbury has a commodious and comfortable inn, under guidance of a hospitable landlord. Moreover, the railroad timetables are fairly well arranged to suit the convenience of the suburbanites, a morning train carrying passengers into Montpelier in season for the prayers at the State House and an evening train leaving the capital city at a time when the day's session is generally closed. If the faithful and industrious committeemen really desired to attend night committee meetings, they could get back to Waterbury by the midnight train. Thus, at the risk of appearing disloyal to Montpelier, we have mapped out a not unattractive schedule for some of the 240 old Vermonters who will come up to Montpelier for the next two months. Possibly, even, Montpelier herself may be gratified that she has been assisted out of a biennial still hunt for lodging-places. Barre, which is six miles nearer Montpelier than Waterbury and with half-hourly street cars, has entertained some of the hosts in years past and will be pleased to do so again this year.



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CURRENT COMMENT.

Campaign Splendidly Conducted.

Interest in the Vermont campaign grew rapidly toward its close. The apathy of the early weeks gave way to a real awakening. Chairman Williams put a lot of intelligent hard work into the canvass, carrying it on in a business-like way that counted. Candidate Prouty helped his cause materially by his frank talks on the stump, and his defeated rival, Zed S. Stanton, pulled a laboring oar in behalf of the ticket. The out-of-state speakers, though not numerous, did their part, but home orators had to supply most of the calls. Newspaper advertising, correspondence and pamphlet work all bore a prominent part in getting out the vote. One cannot point to many errors of omission or commission.

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slon. On the whole, the campaign was splendidly conducted from the beginning. General Apathy suffered a complete rout. —Randolph Herald.

A Hard Slap.

The ways of so-called justice in Rutland county are beyond understanding. After making a fizzle of their efforts to catch Elroy Kent and failing to make an arrest of any kind in the Delia Congdon murder case, they have arrested a priest on the charge of having found out something about another murder case long after it happened. If Father Crociata was able to learn anything about the case, the officials ought to have taken him into partnership instead of arresting him, for he had done more than they could, apparently.—Bennington Banner.

MONTPELIER

Public Schools Open With 1,000; Patches With 500.

The public schools of the city opened yesterday. About 1,000 pupils were registered in the school street and East State street schools, 500 at St. Michael's parochial school, and at Montpelier seminary there is one of the largest registrations in the history of that institution. In the latter the girls outnumber the boys by a considerable majority.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Brett of New York were guests of Mrs. and Mrs. Paul S. Dillingham over Labor Day.

Judge and Mrs. John H. Watson are visiting their son, Hugh, at Yarmouth, N. S. Mr. Watson is vice U. S. consul there.

The Rev. A. J. Hough will go today to Hartford to officiate this afternoon at the wedding of William S. Pingree and Miss Angie Johnson both of Hartford. Mr. Pingree is a son of ex-Gov. Samuel E. Pingree.

A marriage license was issued yesterday by the city clerk to Rufus Hagley of this city and Miss Blanche Lanckton of Batavia, N. Y. Until a few weeks ago Miss Lanckton was a Salvation Army lieutenant in this city.

The body of Mrs. E. W. Bailey arrived from Chicago yesterday morning and funeral services were held in the afternoon in the chapel at Green Mount cemetery. Burial was in the family lot. Mrs. Bailey was 62 years old. She was born in Wilmington, Mass., but lived most of her life in this city and Chicago. A husband and two children, Mrs. Frederick Meyers of Chicago and George C. Bailey of this city, survive her.

John K. Gilkerson, the new Y. M. C. A. secretary has arrived, and is familiarizing himself with the work. G. B. Gilman, the present secretary, will remain until October 1. Prior to coming here Mr. Gilkerson was assistant secretary and physical instructor at New Brighton, Pa., and during the past summer has been studying at Silver Bay, N. Y.

Mrs. Arthur O. Bailey returned yesterday from Pittsford where for five months she has been under treatment at the Proctor sanatorium. Mrs. Bailey considers herself cured of the malady that threatened her, although she will continue the outdoor treatment as much as possible as a precautionary measure. She is loud in praise of her treatment at the sanatorium and of the institution in general.

MARSHFIELD

Mrs. B. B. Nownes is in Barton this week visiting friends and attending the fair.

Henry Dwinell is confined to the bed with pleurisy. Dr. Frank Wheeler is attending him.

Mr. and Mrs. Saxby, teachers in the central school, have rooms in the house of Mrs. Caroline Robinson on Creamery street.

Dr. Edmund H. Packer and son, Henry W. of Lowell, Mass., will return to their home Thursday, after a three weeks' visit with the doctor's brother and sisters.

A. E. Lamberton, the hustling agent for the Kemp Manure spreader, is touring the state, through fair time. This week he is in Barton, next week he goes to St. Johnsbury, then on to the state fair, etc.

Probably one of the most exciting games of base ball will occur at Cabot next Saturday afternoon, when the team of that town will cross bats with the Marshfield stars. The fact that the Cabot team has beaten everything "all to pieces" this season, and that the game of two weeks ago, played in this town, scored 2 to 2 after 15 innings, with Emery and Smith as batters, will warrant a crowd of spectators. H. Emery will pitch and Gene Putnam catch for the Stars on Saturday.

WEST BERLIN.

Mrs. Ella Strong visited Mrs. Bert Gove last week.

W. F. Haskell and brother returned to Boston Monday.

West Berlin has the three mile drunks sure enough.

John Croncy expects to go on to a farm in Northfield soon.

A class of five were taken into the M. E. church last Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. Slack is in Washington this week to attend the fair.

Mrs. Harry Magowen and four children went to St. George last week.

School in No. 4 district commenced Monday; Miss Fanny Colley, teacher.

Mrs. Jane Ayers and Mrs. Alonzo Libbey spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. W. C. Keyes in Woodsville, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Glines are taking a carriage drive to Ferrisburgh and other towns; expect to be away two weeks.

Sam Shepard and family, with Mrs. Gordon, left rather sudden for parts unknown Sunday. Sam Jr. took the household goods Monday.

JINGLES AND JESTS

A Possible Result.

"Suppose women should vote. What would be the result?" answered Mr. Sirrus Barker, petulantly. "Perhaps we'd have hand-painted ballots."—Washington Star.

Meaning Well.

He meant quite well; It was perfectly well meant, But the elephant just grabbed him And then along him through the tent. In the ground he made a dent— Oh, a big one—where he fell. He put pepper in the peanuts; But he meant quite well.

He meant quite well; And he broke no moral law When he gently pushed his fingers Up against the moving saw. When he took away his paw He let out an awful yell. Now he signs his name left-handed; But he meant quite well.

He meant quite well; He had not a thought of harm When to meet his correspondents He went gayly from the farm; Though he turned in an alarm There was nothing he could tell. He meant quite well; He had lost his hard-earned money; But he meant quite well.

He was only rather green And indulged himself in smoking In the powder-magazine. He has never since been seen, But the sexton tolled his knell And his family were mourning; For he meant quite well. —Chicago News.

SOUTH WOODBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lajoie of Hardwick were callers at R. M. Pray's Sunday.

Avary Bradish, whose home was in this town when a young man, visited friends here recently for the first time in thirty years.

George Sum of Barre visited at Dan McLean's over Sunday. His wife died recently in Milford, Mass. She was well known here.

Miss Hattie Robbins was in East Calais Saturday to attend the district union of the I. O. G. T. Mrs. E. C. Sabin accompanied her.

Among those who attended the Labor Day celebration at Hardwick were Albert Burnham, Mrs. Grace Burnham, Miss Lucy Pray, Neil Daniels, Neil and Clifford Tassie.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Tyler of Northfield were here yesterday on business.

Frank St. John has finished work for George W. Lynde and is working for Vern Savory.

Alden Jewett is taking a vacation from his work in the creamery and is visiting friends in Massachusetts.

There will be an entertainment and promenade at the town hall Saturday evening. There will be a short program and good music for promenade. Admission 10c.

Mrs. Rose Savory was seriously hurt Monday; she was leading a cow which ran, throwing her to the ground and dragging her for some distance. Mrs. Savory's right shoulder was dislocated and she was badly shaken up.

Pastor and Wife Honored.

Brandon, Sept. 9.—The Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Smart celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding yesterday. Their three sons, the Rev. I. C. Smart of Burlington, Ward Smart of Boston and William Smart of North Adams, Mass., with their wives were present.

At two o'clock a dinner was served for the members of the family and from three until six friends called to congratulate them. The Hon. E. J. Ormsbee, on behalf of the C. J. Ormsbee Post G. A. R. presented them a purse of gold, and the Rev. William V. Berg, pastor of the Congregational church here presented them a purse of gold in behalf of the church. The Rev. Mr. Smart was pastor of the Congregational church of this town for 15 years and since his retirement he and Mrs. Smart have resided here three years.



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WILL MEET IN RUTLAND.

Vermont Branch of Woman's Board of Missions, September 30.

Rutland, Sept. 9.—The 36th annual meeting of the Vermont branch of the Woman's Board of Missions will be held in the Congregational church in this city September 30, and the president, Mrs. M. H. Buckham of Burlington, has prepared an interesting program. The speakers will include Miss Helen I. Root, who is stationed at Oodopitty, Ceylon; Miss Hickok, a Burlington woman who has been teaching for the past three years in Gedik Pasha, a suburb of Constantinople; the Rev. Dr. Charles T. Riggs of the Bible House at Constantinople, and a missionary of the American board; Miss Helen R. Calder of Boston, the assistant foreign secretary of the Woman's Board of Missions.

BURLINGTON SCHOOLS OPEN.

There Is a Very Large Enrollment at the Start.

Burlington, Sept. 9.—The public schools of the city opened very favorably yesterday, there being an especially large enrollment of pupils. The new supervisors of music and physical culture visited the different schools and arranged their schedules for the year. The reports show an enrollment of 370 pupils in the high school, as compared with 316 last year. This number, however, will be considerably increased by those who will be obliged to take entrance examinations.

BERLIN.

Mrs. William Duprey is confined to the house by sickness.

Elmer Duprey of Chazy, N. Y., has hired out to A. A. Buck for a year.

Fred Poor and brother of Williams-town called on William McCarthy Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Fraser are spending a short vacation with friends at Greensboro pond.

Mirror Lake school opened Monday, September 7th, with thirteen pupils enrolled and Miss Nellie Dewey, teacher.

Dexter Massey, who has worked on the A. E. Covell farm for the last four years, has quit work and accepted a position in Northfield.

Misses Alice, Mary and Eva Blanchard, with Omer Blanchard, who have been spending the summer with C. B. Blanchard, have returned to their home in Lowell, Mass.

SOUTH RANDOLPH.

Lloyd Rford went to Lacombe, N. H., Saturday to begin his senior year in the high school there.

Filling silos is the order of the day just now; almost everyone in this vicinity is about it this week.

Misses Florence and Frances Camp returned to their schools in Westwood, Mass., Monday. Also Dean Colton of

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Concord, N. H., who has been boarding at Mrs. Mary Camp's several weeks this summer, has returned to his home. Fred Prince and family of Texas visited at E. J. Prince's Monday, coming in an automobile from Randolph. Mark Burnham of Valley Falls, R.

Leona Tenney, who has been visiting at E. J. Prince's left for Boston Wednesday and is to call from New York the fifteenth for her home in Florida.

ADVICE ON ILLUMINATION FREE

Mr. C. Walter Jones, Illuminating Engineer of the Holophane Company, New York, will be at our temporary headquarters, in the Bolster Block, 120 North Main Street, Barre, Wednesday and Thursday, between the hours of 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M.

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